

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Desarzens et al.  
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Filed : November 10, 2004  
For : Precision Spindle Instrument  
Holder For Surgical  
Instrument  
Examiner : Farah, Ahmed M.  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Sir:

In response to the office action dated August 18, 2010, the applicants amend and remark as follows: